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### Birmingham, Alabama

Jan. 10, 1930.

The Numismatic Society, 166th St. & Broadway, New York, N. Y.

#### Gentlemen:

I have recently acquired a collection of around twelve-hundred old coins, both U. S. and foreign, and I would like very much to obtain some books pertaining to same. Please advise me what books or information you have in regard to the above.

Thanking you very much for your kindness, I am

Yours very truly,

E. R. McDAVID, JR.

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Mr.E.R. David, Jr.
Fidelity Life Insurance Co.
Watts Building
Birmingham, Alabama

Dear Sir:

En response to your inquiry of the 10th,
Rawling's "Coins and How to Know Them", and "Scot's "Silver
and Copper Coins of the World", would I believe, answer
your need. The second title could probably be had through
Rudolph Rohler, 70 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

Trusting this information will prove to be what you are seeking,

Yours very truly,

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### Birmingham, Alabama

Jan. 23, 1930.

The American Numismatic Society, Broadway, at 156th Street, New York City, N. Y.

Gentlemen:

I certainly appreciate yours of the 14th, and I would like very much to get three or four books on United States coins.

I am awfully anxious to get Coins and Coinage The United States Mint by A. M. Smith, Publisher, Philadelphia, Pa. I have written to A. M. Smith, but my letter has been returned unclaimed. I would also like to have the Rocky Mountain Coin Encyclopedia, published by the Adair Book, Stamp and Coin Company, of Denver, Colorado. They are in the hands of a receiver and I have been unable to get a copy.

If you could give me information as to where I might buy these books I certainly will appreciate it.

Thanking you very much for your kindness, I

Yours very truly,

E. R. McDAVID, JR

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Mr.E.R. McDavid, Jr. Fidelity Life Insurance Co. Watts Bldg, Birmingham. Ala.

Dear Sir:

Responding to your letter of the 23rd, the book regarding the United States Mint, you mention, is a government publication and I think it is now out of print. I do not quite see how it would be very helpful for you, although not knowing the scope of your collection it is difficult for me to be sure of this. If you should write to Mr. Kohler, you might ask him if he has a copy.

The Rocky Mountain Coin Encyclopoedia is not known to me, but it sounds like a dealer's price list, and as such, would hardly be helpful. Dealers' price lists for U. S. coins are issued by Guttag Bros., 95 Broad Street, New York, and by the Elder Coin and Curio Company, 8 West 37th Street, New York, at a price in the neighborhood of a dollar, if I remember correctly.

I hope this information will help you. If it does not, please write further.

Yours very truly,

Secretary.

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Birmingham, Alabama

Feb. 8, 1930.

Mr. Sydney P. Noe, c/o The American Numismatic Society, Broadway Between 155th & 156th St's., New York City, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

I certainly appreciate your letter of January 27th, and as suggested I have written Guttag Brothers and the Elder Coin & Curio Co.

Thanking you very much for your kindness and past favors.

Very truly yours,

E. R. McDAVID JR.

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